

# Course Manual KOGA

Combinatorial Optimization and Graph Algorithms

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## — General information

<b>Long name</b>	Combinatorial Optimization and Graph Algorithms
<b>Approving CModule</b>	KOGA MaTIN
<b>Responsible</b>	Prof., Dr. Hubert Randerath Professor Fakultät IME
<b>Valid from</b>	winter semester 2020/21
<b>Level</b>	Master
<b>Semester in the year</b>	winter semester
<b>Duration</b>	Semester
<b>Hours in self-study</b>	78
<b>ECTS</b>	5
<b>Professors</b>	Prof., Dr. Hubert Randerath Professor Fakultät IME
<b>Requirements</b>	Basic knowledge in graph theory Basic knowledge in algorithmics
<b>Language</b>	German
<b>Separate final exam</b>	Yes

## Literature

## Final exam

**Details** Written exam. In case of a low number of participants the exam might be oral.

**Minimum standard** Normally, 50% of achievable exam point suffice to pass the exam (with a 4.0 grade)

**Exam Type** EN Klausur

## Lecture / Exercises

### Learning goals

Goal type	Description
Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basics of Graph Theory und Combinatorial Optimization</li> <li>- Minimal Spanning Trees: algorithms of Kruskal, Prim und Tarjan, Greedy algorithms, matroids, Steiner trees, network design</li> <li>- Linear Programs: structure, modelling, normalization, Simplex algorithm, Theory of Duality</li> <li>- Weighted Matchings and the Routhe Inspection Problem: Weighted Matchings in Bipartite Graphs and non-bipartite Graphs, algorithms of Floyd-Warshall and Fleury</li> <li>- Network Flows: Network Theory Basics, Dinic's algorithms, cost-optimal flows</li> <li>- selected discreet and combinatorial optimization problems: Travelling Salesman, Channel Assignment Problem, scheduling problems, routing problems</li> </ul>

### Special requirements

none

### Accompanying material

- Lineare und Netzwerk-Optimierung, H.W. Hamacher, Vieweg-Verlag
- CATBOX - An Interactive Course in Combinatorial Optimization, W. Hochstättler, A. Schliep, Springer-Verlag
- Graphentheoretische Konzepte und Algorithmen, S. O. Krumke, H. Noltemeier, Teubner-Verlag
- Combinatorial Optimization - Polyhedra and Efficiency, A. Schrijver, Springer-Verlag
- Dozenten

### Separate exam

No

### Expenditure classroom teaching

Type	Attendance (h/Wk.)
Lecture	2
Exercises (whole course)	2
Exercises (shared course)	0
Tutorial (voluntary)	0